

THE ARGUS

DAILY AND WEEKLY

TEACHERS—WELCOME.

The Institute for county teachers is in session at the Goldsboro Graded School and will continue through the week.

No more important meetings take place in Goldsboro than the Teachers' Institutes.

From all over the county assemble the faithful men and women who teach in the public schools in the country neighborhoods, and who by their own walk and conversation practice in their daily lives those principles of virtue, truth and morality which are object lessons whose influence will never be known until the day when all secrets shall be revealed.

There is no calling higher than the teacher's calling, save that of Christian ministry.

Goldsboro feels honored in having as her guests this week the school teachers of Wayne county, and she extends them a most cordial welcome.

We are proud of our teachers, faithful and competent, they are making the public schools the pride of our people.

OUR LOCAL OPTIC.

Superior court convenes in this city next Monday.

Miss Lizzie Blow, of Greenville, N. C., is visiting Mrs. Tom McGee.

Miss Annie Puckett, of Smithfield, is in the city, visiting Miss Minnie Chamberlain.

Marriage licenses were issued in Wayne county the past week to couple people only as follows: Wm. Howell to Flespy Kornegay, Henry Gray to Louella Bardin.

The white man Lee, shot while resisting arrest recently near Sauls X Roads, is at the Emergency Hospital in this city, still in a precarious condition and is totally blind.

Rev. F. W. Farries has gone to Morehead City for rest and recuperation. His hosts of friends here wish for him an early restoration to his wonted health and vigor.

The tax collectors of the several townships of the county call at the office of Mr. G. C. Kornegay, the Register of Deeds, and get the books and proceed to collect the taxes for 1899.

Hatch Bros' last excursion this season will run from Dunn to Wilmington and Wrightsville on Friday. The excursion will be taken on up to and including Pikeville.

Miss Alice Ivey, one of the principals of Seven Springs High School, is attending the Teachers' Institute. A splendid new school building has been erected and the outlook for the school is excellent. The next session will begin September 13th.

The management of the A. & N. C. R. R., will change hands on the 25th of this month. The principal applicants for the agency at this place are Mr. John H. Hill, the former mayor and a member of the present board of Aldermen, and Mr. Will Humphrey, a popular young man of splendid business qualifications who has been employed as cashier in the office of the A. & N. C. R. R. in this city for several years and has virtually had charge of the agency. Both the aspirants have a number of friends at work for them and it would be hard to predict the final outcome of the situation.

Goldsboro is no longer a village, but a place of about eight thousand people. Moreover, thousands of visitors come here. For these visitors there should be provided conveniences for public comfort. We suggest that the County Commissioners have closets erected on the court-house square, and that the city erect closets at some of the most public places. Of course all of the closets should be connected with the sewers. These closets would not only be greatly appreciated by the public, but they would add greatly to the sanitary condition of the city. We believe the tax-payers in both town and country would heartily endorse the County Commissioners and Board of Aldermen in having the closets erected.

TO CLEANSE THE SYSTEM

Effectually yet gently, when constive or bilious, to permanently overcome habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers, use Syrup of Figs, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

BARGAIN SEEKERSTAKE NOTICE.

Mr. Asher Edwards, proprietor of the Goldsboro Department Store, is now North selecting the largest, handsomest and cheapest stock of goods ever seen here. Lookout for his advertisement next week.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

MONDAY'S OPENING SESSION IN THE GRADED SCHOOL.

Largest Attendance and Great Interest Manifest—It Will Continue for the Week.

The Wayne County Teachers' Institute, for the white teachers of the county, was formally opened in the Goldsboro Graded School Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and an unusually large number of teachers from all sections of the county are in attendance, and more are expected.

The Institute was formally opened by Mr. Jos. E. Robinson, Chairman of the County Board of School Directors, who spoke to them as follows:

As chairman of the Board of School Directors of the county I have the official honor and personal pleasure of formally opening this Institute, which the Board of School Directors has provided and supplied with distinguished instructors in order that you as a body of teachers may keep abreast of the best methods of imparting instruction to the children committed to your care and training in the public schools of the county.

With this simple announcement I might conclude that my duty in the premises had been fulfilled, and yet were I to stop here I would feel that I had not done justice to the abiding interest I take in the cause in which you are enlisted, and if any words of mine can lend encouragement to you in your work, give you fortitude for endurance in moments of trial in the school room, or furnish you a pleasant reflection in hours of leisure, I feel it is my duty to speak them.

It is an old saying—and as true as it is ancient, that in proportion as a person's heart is in his work in the same proportion will he succeed therein. This principle pervades every avocation of life and is equally true in each and all of them. But especially is it true—or, rather, especially is it necessary that the heart should be full and overflowing with interest and joy in its work in the office of teacher, which should be a vocation rather than an avocation, in order to accomplish the greatest possible good in this high and most responsible sphere of life.

We speak of the "Fountain of Knowledge," and as the fountain of water which simply gives out enough water to fill its basin but never overflows will nourish neither grass nor flowers, even within its very shadow, so is it with the fountain of knowledge, the child cannot reach to dip therein, but must catch the overflowings, so to speak, from the teacher's heart: just as the grass grows green and the flowers bloom in beauty around the overflowing fountain of water. Again, as the draughts we drink from the fountain of knowledge in childhood penetrate and permeate us so thoroughly that our very nature are merged into them and the whole tenor of our lives attuned thereto, how important is it that those waters should be of all possible purity, in order that the embryo nature that flows in with them to the child's mind may find in the vital spark of immortality there a kindred spirit.

It has been beautifully said and truly, that "souls live in perpetual echoes" and, that "a hidden soul flows from the lips of the teacher to the child." How important, then, is it that the heart of the teacher, from the abundance of which the child's mind feeds and its nature is formed, should be one throbbing with all the nobler impulses of humanity.

Indeed, the most advanced and noblest scholar will find that he can take the soft hand of his youngest pupil and soon realize how eagerly his own slightest onward leading will be followed by the child, for mind delights to marry mind, and science is but the truth of the world in forms of reason, which reason seeks and without which it cannot be satisfied.

At times (no one can fix these in the way of prescription, for mental regeneration is a mystery only less profound than that of the spirit)—he will challenge the child's tender eyes, already filled with "wonder-mist," to a still higher vision, seen as yet in but legermain, but with a master's power, he removes one fold of the curtain and shows him the glory of the worlds beyond. Figuratively—or in the way of allegory, we can best express what we mean by allowing each one to interpret from his own standpoint of vision.

Across the stream whose rapid waters bar his direct and timid progress the child must be lifted from stepping stone to stepping stone, then led on through the thick shade or mossy woods, among ferns and flowers, still moving ever upward through the tangled and blossoming pathway,

where thorns threaten and wild roses sweeten the toil; then still onward, with more reliant step across the widespread table land of meadows made green by the mountain springs, where he can gain refreshing rest; then still upward, with stronger and more eager tread, to the very summit of the thunder-riven rock, where before him in vision far outstretching his most ardent expectation, he sees with wistful eyes the silver winding rivers, the scattered villages along their margins, the mist hovering over the distant valleys that sweep onward until they vanish in the storm-haunted hills over-arched with glowing amethyst. Anon Hesperus comes leading in his host of stars, Arcturus and his sons, belted Orion, the clustered glory of the Pleiades, and the Swan, with outstretched wings sweeping up the "Milky Way," and all this—initially more, when thus seen, comes to be for him but this universe bending in adoration and joining with cherubim and seraphim and veiled angels and crying Holy! Holy! Holy, Lord God Almighty! Heaven and Earth are full of the majesty of thy glory!

These are your possibilities—your opportunities as teachers, of moulding and building human minds up to and into glorious immortality; and you have for your reward in your sacred work not only the priceless pleasure that comes in the way of satisfaction with the contemplation of your accomplishments, but also the unfulfilling promise of the Scripture, that "they that instruct many to Justice shall shine as stars for all eternity."

At the conclusion of the chairman's speech Mr. E. T. Atkinson, county superintendent, announced the purpose of the Institute, spoke some earnest words of welcome and encouragement and then turned the Institute over to Prof. J. I. Foust, who with Mrs. M. O. Humphrey and Miss Anna Lewis, will conduct its sessions during the week, the hours of which will be daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Mr. Foust, in taking charge of the Institute addressed himself at once to the routine work, beginning with and dwelling earnestly and eloquently on the importance of the Recitation in the school room, and impressing upon the teachers the necessity of giving due heed to it in the conduct of their various classes.

TUESDAY.

Tuesday's session opened with a still larger number of teachers, prospects bright, and interest deepening and widening, as the work develops, and the attendance now embraces nearly every public school teacher in the county.

Prof. Foust is an able and concise instructor and a perfect manager in educational work. The Institute is fortunate in having him at its head for the week, as it is securing the services of Mrs. M. O. Humphrey and Miss Anna Lewis, and all the teachers in attendance realize this fully and appreciate it accordingly.

WEDNESDAY.

It is not only interesting but exceedingly instructive to visit the Teachers' Institute, and the earnestness and unity with which the large number of Teachers in attendance enter into the work and exchange views and ask questions augurs a new era of development for the county schools of our county and the greatest educational progress yet known among the children who attend the district public schools.

No former Institute has had so large an attendance.

The following are the list of teachers, as registered, who have lent their presence and influence, and who will receive certificates of attendance.

MISSSES.

Pearle Thompson, Julia E. Howell, Emma Grant, Jennie Uzzell, Addie Ballance, Dora Atkinson, Charity Atkinson, Martha Kornegay, Etta Dail, Carrie Thompson, Florence Carraway, Ida E. Moore, Ida Lewis, Mary Pipkin, Mary K. Boyette, Ida H. Tomlinson, Lucy D. Talton, Mary Midyette, Estelle Tomlinson, Rachel E. Massey, Pattie Faulk, Kittie Parker, Mary C. Massey, Fannie Parker, Lula Porter, Emma W. Uzzell, Carrie Becton, Minnie Raiford.

MESDAIRES.

Z. O. Crawford, D. B. Frazier, L. Frank Oates, D. E. Matthews, Kate M. Wilson, S. W. Edmundson, Bertha Matthews.

MESSRS.

G. W. Westbrook, L. C. Brogden, E. L. Becton, Delano T. Perkins, Chas. A. Smith, Z. H. Copeland, J. G. Copeland, Z. H. Rose.

PROCEEDINGS

Of Wayne County Commissioners' Court. Goldsboro, Sept. 4, '99.

The Board met in regular session, present: E. A. Stevens, chairman; J. P. Smith and J. B. Gardner.

Bonds of F. J. Lambert, C. D. Hooks, C. D. Taylor, A. W. Parks, S. D. Kennedy and James Edwards, cotton weavers, were approved; also the bonds of S. D. Pate and K. B. Smith, tax collectors for Stony Creek and Pikeville townships respectively.

A. L. Sasser and J. A. Stevens were appointed to have the Asylum bridge repaired.

The Board made final settlement with the executrix of E. B. Hood, late county treasurer.

The Board requests that all applications for pauper burials made within the limits of the city of Goldsboro be certified by the Mayor or Chief of Police of said city, in order that the county may avoid imposition.

The following jurors were drawn for October term of Wayne Superior Court:

James E. Buzzell, James M. Holland, C. B. Miller, J. C. Bunn, Eli Sasser, R. A. Watts, Sr., Isaac S. Smith, L. A. Dail, M. B. Herring, Henry Weil, Wm. Potts, H. H. Grady, W. B. Etcheide, W. B. Hail, J. B. Edmondson, H. C. Holmes, N. Mc N. Baie, Henry Grady, Indian Springs, E. F. Daly, Geo. W. Parker, Benjamin Casey, D. L. Edgerton, H. C. Sherard, M. B. Price, A. D. Dail, W. A. Soipes, W. F. Brogden, J. W. Winborn, C. D. Howell, Jr., Nathan Sellers, J. G. Gian, M. O. Overman, John W. Jinnett, George W. Lane, C. B. Pail, W. D. Blalock.

Accounts were audited and allowed to: R. J. Hooks, Gt Swamp roads, \$7 60; A. H. Toler, work on bridges, \$2 12; J. A. Toler, work on roads, \$0 50; A. A. Grantham, work on Cox bridge, \$0 10; J. S. Warrick, work on roads, \$0 10; Henry Cook, work on Nahunta roads, \$4 60; B. T. Smith, work on New Hope roads, \$7 00; C. L. Rose, work on Great Swamp bridge, \$5 00; J. H. Hill, Saulston roads, \$0 50; Louis Herring, New Hope roads, \$0 00; S. H. Blow, Nahunta roads, \$4 60; M. D. Talton, Pikeville roads, \$2 20; S. H. Blow, Nahunta bridge, \$0 50; L. B. Pate, Stony Creek roads, \$2 40; B. B. Grantham, bridge lumber, \$2 58; B. T. Person, Stony Creek Road, \$3 40; Brantley Smith, Brogden road, \$4 33; P. E. Jones, Quaker bridge guard, \$4 75; Wm. Eason, Saulston roads, \$3 32; H. F. Pate, Stony Creek roads, \$0 80; F. M. Musgrave, bridge lumber, \$3 00; Joe West, Nahunta Roads, \$1 95; G. C. Kornegay, road acct., \$7 00; Sam Roberts, Nahunta roads, \$2 50; H. D. Porter, Cox bridge guard, \$1 00; Iredell Talton, Pikeville road, \$5 20; E. W. Head, Pikeville and Nahunta roads, \$3 00; W. A. Sasser, bridge lumber, \$1 94; Floyd Walker, Indian Springs road, \$6 60; M. W. Parks, repairing bridge, \$1 00; Goldsboro Hardware Co., supplies for roads, \$1 20; Arnold Sasser, burying pauper, \$7 00; Smith & Scott, jail supplies, \$1 36; Angus office, monthly salary, \$14 16; Green Everett, shoeing poor house mules, \$2 00; Lula Herring, pauper, \$2 00; B. F. Scott, Sheriff, August jail fees, \$113 35; Robt. Hinnant, New Hope fence, \$0 00; Robt. Ham, New Hope fence, \$3 00; E. W. Head, August poor house acct, \$3 33; I. P. Andrews, Pikeville fence, \$0 00; J. R. Crawford, Insurance premium, \$4 00; J. F. Scott, Shif, expenses in Willis Lee case, \$2 25; Mary Austin, pauper, \$1 00; Geo. Thompson, repairing vault for C. S. C., \$1 00; Nash Bros, tax books and stationery, \$4 25; Dr. W. J. Jones, health Supt, \$20 00; G. C. Kornegay, acct filed, \$45 00; E. A. Stevens, commissioner, per diem and mileage, \$17 60; J. P. Smith, comr, per diem and mileage, \$25 60; J. B. Gardner, per diem and mileage, \$13 60; G. E. Hood, County Treasurer, cash paid to paupers, \$70 50.

The Board then adjourned. Published by order of the Board.

G. C. KORTGAY, Clerk.

Jules Verne, who has had to go to the moon, under the sea and to the centre of the earth to get sufficiently surprising material for his novels, has now his upon America and his new story, "The Last Will of an Eccentric," one volume of which is already published, deals with the United States, covering all the States and Territories. Mr. Verne has never visited this country, but says he is nevertheless just as able to write in his way, about it as about the moon or anything else.

COURT CALENDAR

For September Term of Superior Court of Wayne County.

There will be a Superior Court begun and held for the county of Wayne at the Court House in Goldsboro on the 11th day of September, 1899.

Thursday Sept. 14.

No. 31. W. G. Whitted vs Amaziah Parks.

36 Sol Thompson vs Giles Hinson.

42 J. R. Short vs T. E. Yelverton.

43 I. B. Fonvielle, adm, vs M. S. Witherington.

44 C. B. Hatch vs W. & W. R. R. Co.

53 Hinton Lee vs Ellen Lee.

62 Standard Mfg Co., vs S. W. Ialer.

Friday Sept. 15.

64 Bizzell Bros & Co., vs W. L. Kidder & Son et als.

65 Dock Smith vs J. H. Wells and wife.

70 Robt Epps and wife vs Baalam Parks.

74 Richard A. Taylor vs Myrtie A. Taylor.

76 Griffin & Brooks vs C. B. Hatch.

78 Thomas Elliott and wife vs Lewis Elliott, et als.

80 Zack Hinnant vs Walter M. Gardner.

81 John Atmore vs Fanny Atmore.

Monday, Sept. 18.

27 W. D. C. Richardson vs W. & W. R. R. Co.

49 Joseph Edwards vs So. Ry Co.

84 Yelverton Bros vs Green Port et als.

88 W. T. Lane vs Ella Lane.

89 J. A. Stevens vs M. H. Bridgers.

Tuesday, Sept. 19.

82 E. E. Parker vs Minnie B. Parker.

85 M. S. Witherington vs Octavius Hicks.

86 Aycock Bros & Co vs Ed L. Smith and Sallie Smith.

98 W. F. Rose and wife vs N. C. R. R. Co.

99 D. J. and C. J. Rivenbark vs Alex. Stoel.

100 Ira W. Hatch vs W. & W. R. R. Co.

Wednesday, Sept. 20.

33 L. D. Guiley vs T. A. Hobbs.

35 L. D. Guiley vs J. E. Byrd.

38 J. W. Lamb vs L. D. Guiley.

60 J. R. Griffin vs L. D. Guiley.

90 D. & R. Jones vs L. D. Guiley.

91 L. L. Alphin vs M. S. Witherington.

Thursday, Sept. 21.

95 Council McCullen vs Prairie McCullen.

96 Elsey and George Mabry vs Betsy Freeman et als.

101 H. T. Roberts vs Wayne cotton Mills.

102 W. B. Crawford vs Barrey Edgerton, Exr.

103 Best & Thompson vs A. T. Grady.

Motion Docket.

1 H. Weil & Bros vs T. W. Uzzell and wife.

2 Abram Uzzell et als vs T. W. Uzzell and wife.

9 H. Weil & Bros et als vs J. W. Edwards.

11 Ida C. Humphrey vs H. B. Ireland.

17 Arnold Borden vs Asher Edwards.

19 J. A. McGee and wife vs G. O. Griffin.

23 J. E. Griswold and wife vs Thos. A. Whitfield.

24 J. E. Griswold and wife vs J. A. McGee and wife.

25 J. E. Griswold and wife vs Allen Whitfield.

29 W. H. Finlayson et als vs Geo. L. Kirby et als.

32 John T. Edmundson vs Sarah J. Edmundson.

34 Minnie E. King vs Tony Lane.

39 Stanford Aycock vs Joel Lewis.

41 W. H. Creel vs Geo. C. Kornegay.

46 J. W. Edwards vs W. K. Grantham and W. B. Bridgers.

50 B. B. Grantham vs N. B. Herring, administrator.

54 H. Weil & Bros vs J. B. Parks, wife et als.

57 A. U. Kornegay vs J. R. Morris and Fannie E. Kornegay.

58 R. W. Edgerton vs Sidney Deans, administrator.

67 H. Weil & Bros vs A. T. Pipkin.

68 C. F. Herring, C. S. C. and Receiver vs Sidney Deans, adm.

73 C. F. Herring, Receiver of Mary Lou and Emmet Hurst vs Sidney Deans, adm.

83 Aycock Bros & Co vs Lary Newcomb et als.

93 H. Weil & Bros vs S. E. Moore and Richard Tindall.

Witnesses will not be allowed to charge until the day the case in which they are summoned is set for trial.

If a case shall not be reached the day it is set for trial it will retain its place among the cases set and be tried when reached.

I. F. ORMOND, C. S. C.

Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 5, 1899.

"To Throw Good Money After Bad will but increase my pain." If you have thrown away money for medicine that did not cure, now begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the medicine that never fails.

Hood's Pills cure sick headache, indigestion.

For Sale.

A desirable house and lot, in the hustling, wide awake town of Mt. Olive, centrally located; good neighborhood, deep well, excellent water. Five rooms and necessary out-buildings. For terms and particulars address "C," Box 96, Mt. Olive, N. C. 971m

ROUNDUP BALE PRESS

What the Largest Roundup Cotton Plant in the South Has Done for the Farmer

The Huntsville Roundup Bale Compress Plant was organized by T. W. Pratt, says the Huntsville Ala., Mercury: "It is owned by Messrs. Pratt & Coons, and is the largest plant in the South.

"This plant started in operation in the fall of 1897, ginning and baling the first year 3,500 bales. Of the crop of 1898 it ginned about 7,000 bales. The proprietors expect to gin and bale 14,000 bales of the present crop. The results of this system are un-od in their advantages to the farmer and the shipper. This plant has reduced the cost of baling from \$2.50 to \$1.00 a bale.

"The farmer drives his load of cotton to the gin, and can sit on his wagon and rest ten minutes, during which time his wagon is unloaded by machinery, his cotton ginned, baled, sampled and marked and delivered into his wagon, together with the seed, if he prefers or if he prefers, he can take a storage ticket for cotton and seed and be bothered no more with his product. But there are not all the advantages. He can drive to this gin and sell his cotton, in any quantity from 100 pounds to 100 tons, at the market price, without having it ginned at all. For the small farmer, this system is the best of all. He handles his cotton crop in this manner exactly as he does his corn crop, selling in large or small quantities as he wishes money or has time to deliver."

OUR COUNTY BRIDGES.

The falling in of one end of the county bridge across Little River near the Asylum, and known as the "Asylum Bridge," which occurred some time Monday, gives additional force to the timeliness of the recent comments of the Argus as to the condition of several of the county bridges.

The Asylum bridge is one of the most used of any in the approach to this city, and with some few changes in the routes of the roads beyond the river, this bridge could be made more frequented and convenient. To this end the Argus believes the Board of County Commissioners would do well to replace the fallen bridge with an iron structure, which would at all times be safe and passable, as well in time of freshets as otherwise.

But in giving their immediate attention to this bridge we hope the County Commissioners will not lose sight of the other bridges crossing the river, and have them all thoroughly inspected, and, where needed, substantially repaired, so as to obviate any like and perhaps more serious catastrophe as has befallen the Asylum bridge.

ROSH-HASHANNAH.

With the setting of Monday's sun our Jewish fellow citizens began the observance of the New Year 5660 in accordance with the Biblical injunction (Levit. XIII, 24.) "In the seventh month, in the first day of the month shall ye have a Sabbath, a memorial of blowing the trumpet, an holy convocation." But the day of "holy convocation" is also the "day for judgment" of the individual.

It is a pause in the hurry, the fret and the fever of life to enable everyone to look back on the past year, to take stock of his actions and to mark how they have accorded with his resolutions only twelve months ago. It is the poetry of Judaism that its ceremonies are calculated to arrest the most careless and unreflecting, and to give pause for introspection and humble self-knowledge. It was a beautiful idea that made every "Rosh Hashannah" (New Year) a day of audit and balancing, and thus provide a regularly recurring halt on the march from the cradle to the grave for rest and examination. Did he fall short of his last year's resolutions he has now the opportunity for renewing them; and strengthened by the failures and experiences since his last halt, mayhap he shall come nearer realization next time. Did he fail altogether to grasp the serious significances of the period last year, here is another opportunity afforded him.

MT. OLIVE LETTER.

A Week's Happenings of the Mt. Olive Section.

ARGUS BUREAU, JNO. R. SMITH, Mgr. September 6, 1899.